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# In Wake Of Terrifying Climate Report, German Environmentalists Will, In A Twist, Rally For Nuclear



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German pro-nuclear environmentalists singing to anti-nuclear protesters last August. ERIC MEYER

In the wake of a “[terrifying](#)” new report on climate change, environmentalists will rally in Munich, Germany this Sunday to — in a twist — demand a halt to nuclear plant closures, which they say are increasing air pollution and locking-in fossil fuels.

Over the last year, environmentalists have faulted Germany for [abandoning](#) its 2020 climate goals, bulldozing an [ancient forest](#) to mine for coal, and exporting [deadly air pollution](#) to its neighbors.

“I hope people see that what motivates nuclear supporters is the wish to leave a better world to our children,” said Iida Ruishalme of Mothers for Nuclear. “We want to let friends of nuclear know that they are not alone.”

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